

# **NDIIPP: Issues relating to Copyright**

- **Acquisition of Materials:** copyright implicated by mere act of acquisition, even for dark archive
- **Use of Materials:** preservation, research and providing access to Congress and/or public raise additional copyright issues
- **Circumvention of Technological Protection Measures (TPMs):** may be necessary to access content or convert to new formats. Sec. 1201 of Copyright Act prohibits circumventing TPMs.

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- Other Issues?
- Next Steps?
  - Create working group?
    - To explore copyright issues
    - Sort out legal vs. economic issues
  - Copyright Office willing to work with group and take on review of Section 108
  - Report back to Congress with specifics